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Title: System And Method For Document-Searching, Program For Performing Document-Searching, Computer-Readable Storage Medium Storing The Same Program, Compiling Device, Compiling Method, Program For Performing The Same Compiling Method, Computer-Readable Storage Medium Storing The Same Program, And A Query Automaton Evaluator

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents

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**Request for One Month Extension of Time.** Applicants request a three month extension of time from March 12, 2007 to April 12, 2007, and authorize the Commissioner to charge the requisite fee therefore, \$120.00, 37 CFR ¶ 1.17(a)(1), to Deposit Account No. **09-0441**.

In response to the Office Action mailed December 12, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.

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